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Applicant encloses the following documents in response to the communication of June 4, 2001:

1. Response to Notice to File Corrected Application Papers;
2. Petition for Extension of Time;
3. Replacement Drawings 9 Sheets (13 figures); and
4. Form PTO-1533.

Certification Under 37 C.F.R. Section 1.10

I hereby certify that this Transmittal Letter and the documents referred to as enclosed therein is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this 23rd day of May, 2002 in an envelope marked as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Mail Label Number EV094677875 addressed to Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231.

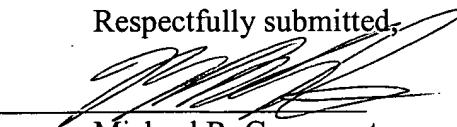
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE
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In response to the communication of January 23, 2002, the period for response to which has been extended through May 23, 2002 by a Petition for Extension of Time and fee payment filed contemporaneously herewith, Applicants substitute replacement drawings for filing in the above-identified application.

Please associate the enclosed drawings with the above-identified application.

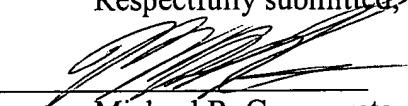
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NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);
 - Drawings must be in dark ink (not pencil), except where color drawings or photographs are permitted.
 - Drawings must be reasonably free from erasures and must be free from alterations, overwritings, interlineations, folds, and copy marks.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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